

Requesting Member: Congressman ED WHITFIELD

Bill Number: FY 2010 Labor, Health and Education Appropriations Bill

Account: Higher Education (Includes FIPSE)  
Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Western Kentucky Community and Technical College

Address of Requesting Entity: 4810 Alben Barkley Drive, Paducah, KY 42002

Description of Request: Western Kentucky Community and Technical College is proposing to develop a skilled crafts training center in Graves County, Kentucky. Funds have been dedicated to purchase the facility, but federal funds are needed for equipment purchases to enhance automotive and diesel technology programs to facilitate training in the automotive industry, which will help attract businesses to the area. (\$250,000)

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Account: Elementary & Secondary Education (includes FIE)

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: McLean County Fiscal Court

Address of Requesting Entity: PO Box 127, Calhoun, KY 42327

Description of Request: The McLean County Fiscal Court will utilize this project to assist the community and local school children increase their educational opportunities by purchasing equipment necessary for educational purposes for the Livermore Community Library. Funds (\$150,000) will be used to purchase computers, teaching equipment, and develop training seminars to facilitate educational opportunities throughout the County.

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Account: Higher Education (Includes FIPSE)  
Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Madisonville Community College

Address of Requesting Entity: PO Box 127, Calhoun, KY 42327

Description of Request: Funds (\$100,000) will be used to purchase instructional equipment to support full implementation of Advanced Industrial Integrated Technology (AIIT) associate degree program developed to provide the multi-skilled maintenance technician demanded by modern manufacturers. The AIIT curriculum can serve as a national model for the effective web-enhanced delivery of technical training.

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Account: Economic Development Initiatives (EDI)

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Monroe County Fiscal Court

Address of Requesting Entity: 1194 Columbia Avenue, Tompkinsville, KY 42167

Description of Request: Funds (\$250,000) will be used to construct a new market facility that would facilitate economic development and provide added benefits to the local community.

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Account: Buses and Bus Facilities

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Lake Cumberland Community Action Agency

Address of Requesting Entity: 23 Industry Drive, Jamestown, KY 42629

Description of Request: Funds (\$70,000) will be used to install emergency radios in buses that transport senior citizens to and from their medical appointments in an area that is currently undergoing a Dam safety rehabilitation project, which increases the need for emergency communications.

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Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Audubon Area Community Services

Address of Requesting Entity: 1800 West Fourth Street, Owensboro, KY 42304

Description of Request: The Bus maintenance facility is needed to help maintain and protect the safety of people who are using this service for transportation purposes. Funding (\$1,350,000) will be used to construct this facility.

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Legal Name of Requesting Entity:

Address of Requesting Entity: 1100 South Liberty Street, Hopkinsville, KY 42240

Description of Request: Pennyrile Allied Community Services works to reduce and eliminate poverty by providing the opportunity for education, training, and work. One main way this mission is accomplished is through transporting people. Funding (\$500,000) will be used to purchase on-board security cameras and enlarge and renovate the transit facility on site.

#### LET'S ENCOURAGE CHARITABLE DONATIONS

#### HON. BOB FILNER

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, July 20, 2009*

Mr. FILNER. Madam Speaker, I recently introduced legislation (H.R. 3248) intended to simplify the charitable giving rules for automobile donations.

As you know, in 2004, Congress enacted legislation that imposed new reporting requirements on individuals and charities for automobile donations. This legislation has had the unintended consequence of reducing the number of automobiles donated to charities in my district. The corresponding loss in revenue and reduction in services offered by these charities has hurt the San Diego region.

To correct this situation, my bill will exempt certain charities from the reporting requirements of the 2004 law. My bill is targeted only

to those charities that operate "in-house" vehicle donation programs and that retain at least 80% of the proceeds from their vehicle donation programs.

I invite my colleagues to join me as co-sponsors of this legislation to simplify the vehicle donation process for charitable organizations across the United States.

#### EARMARK DECLARATIONS

#### HON. DANIEL E. LUNGREN

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, July 20, 2009*

Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I rise today to submit the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of the Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies FY10 Appropriations Act.

The following earmarks were requested by my office and are listed for funding in this bill: Aerospace Museum of California Foundation, Inc., McClellan, CA for maintenance of collections

Requesting Member: DANIEL E. LUNGREN

Bill Number: FY10 Labor, HHS, Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations

Account: Institute of Museum and Library Services—Museums and Libraries

Requesting Agency: Aerospace Museum of California Foundation, Inc.

Requesting Agency Address: 3200 Freedom Park Drive, McClellan, CA 95652

Amount: \$930,000

This project will provide for the repair of seven aircraft, six of which belong to the Federal Government. There are 150 retired military people that are volunteering their time to repair the aircraft. The volunteer contribution is equal to \$620,512.

This project represents an appropriate use of taxpayer funds as it provides for the maintenance of property of the U.S. Government, partnering with volunteer contribution to deliver a maintained educational resource, expounding the importance and history of our aeronautical endeavors.

#### PERSONAL EXPLANATION

#### HON. LYNN A. WESTMORELAND

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, July 20, 2009*

Mr. WESTMORELAND. Madam Speaker, due to a personal medical condition on July 7, 2009 I missed two votes. Had I been present, I would have voted the following:

"Aye" on Directing the Architect of the Capitol to place a marker in Emancipation Hall in the Capitol Visitor Center which acknowledges the role that slave labor played in the construction of the United States Capitol, and for other purposes. (rollcall No. 478)

"No" to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide an annual grant to facilitate an iron working training program for Native Americans. (rollcall No. 479)